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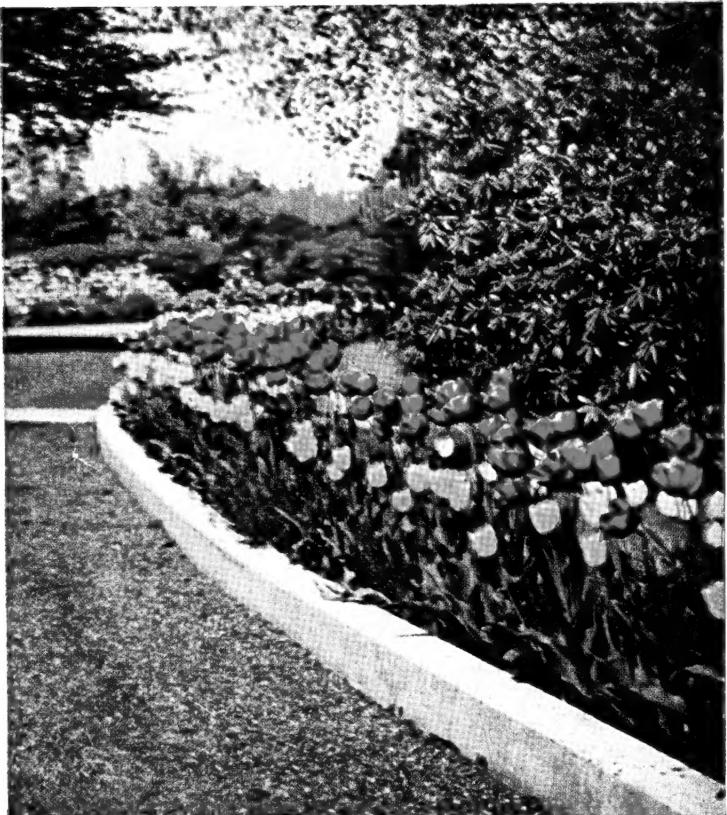
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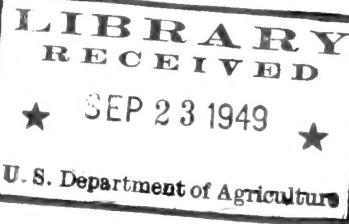


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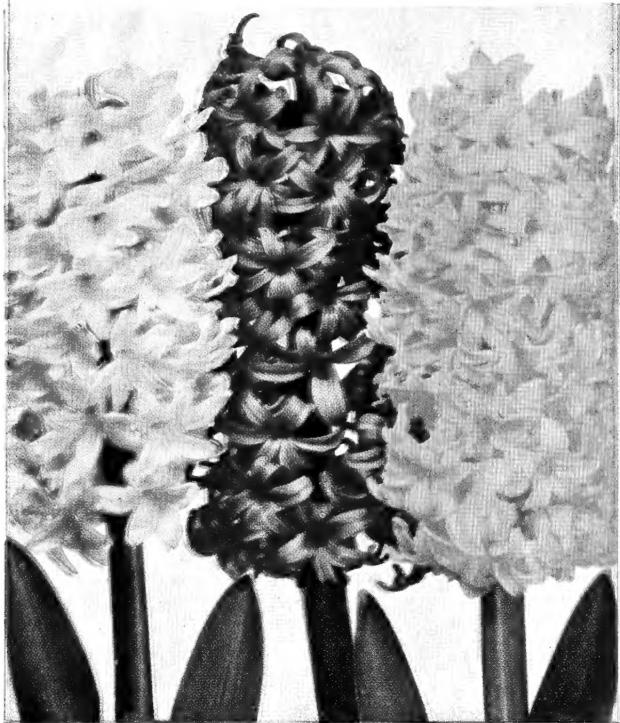
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HYACINTHS PINK PEARL, GRAND MAITRE, YELLOW HAMMER

### SWEET SCENTED HYACINTHS

Not only easily grown but colorful and sweetly fragrant, too. Plant October through December, to depth of 6 inches for March bloom.

**Each, 25c; per dozen, \$2.75; per 100, \$22.50**

**Bismarck.** Large, well formed trusses of pleasing light blue.

**Grand Maitre.** Deep polished blue.

**Jan Bos.** Dense heads of carmine red.

**L'Innocence.** Incomparable white.

**Pink Pearl.** Deep rosy pink, lightening at edges.

**Yellow Hammer.** Heavy spikes of light creamy yellow.

### ROMAN HYACINTHS

Several spikes of early, free-flowering bloom from a single bulb. Loosely arranged, dainty white, fragrant bells. Plant 5 inches deep from September 15 to November.

**Each, 28c; per dozen, \$3.00**

### GRAPE HYACINTHS, *Muscaris*

These miniature Hyacinths of medium blue, once planted, should be a permanent addition to your garden. Bulbs multiply freely and bloom consistently. Grand for edging. Decided grape scent. Plant September 15 through November to a depth of 4 inches.

**Per dozen, 75c; per 100, \$5.00**

We hold, here in our nurseries . . .

#### Three Shows Each Year

##### ROSE SHOW

in October

##### CAMELLIA SHOW

in early Spring

##### IRIS SHOW

in late spring

exhibiting flowers of the many varieties we offer for sale. An excellent opportunity to select sorts you desire. **No admission charge.** If not on our mailing list, please register at office. We'll mail you advance notices of exact dates.

# Read First! You'll Be Glad You Did!

For complete information about preparation of soil, location for planting, fertilization and care after planting read our booklet "**When, Where and How to Plant.**" It's yours for the asking.

There is no garden so small, none so large, it cannot be made more intriguing by the judicious addition of bright, cheerful Bulbs. The early flowering sorts bring us anew, each season, the same joyful thrill we experience from the first bursting buds of the Deciduous Trees and the fresh new bloom of our Spring Flowering Annuals.

### Flowering Annuals

#### Annuals to Plant for Spring Bloom

If we desire a ground cover for our Bulbs we'll sow seed of Virginia Stock, Alyssum or Baby Blue Eyes over Bulbs planted 3 inches or deeper.

At the time we are making our fall Bulb planting we'll also—or should be—thinking about the Annuals we will want for late winter and spring bloom. Just in case we don't remember back to past seasons, it's time to plant the following: Stock, Snapdragon, Pansy, Viola, Primroses of all kinds, Calendula, Phlox, African Daisy, Alyssum, Bachelor Button, Forget-me-not, Larkspur, Lobelia, Painted Daisy, Scabiosa, and many others.

And, of course, most varieties in our large collection of

#### PERENNIALS ARE MOST SUCCESSFULLY PLANTED IN FALL

You will find here—

#### TOP QUALITY BULBS ONLY

We do not now nor will at any future time handle the so-called "Cheap Bulbs." Top Quality Bulbs in the larger sizes give real value in stronger plants, more bloom; "Cheap Bulbs" do not.

**Free Delivery** of orders of \$2.50 or more on our regular truck routes. We do not ship Bulbs by Parcel Post.

**Planting and Availability Dates,** which are identical, are listed with each variety.

**Please Note:** The depth given for planting refers to the base of the Bulb.

**Quantity Prices:** 50 Bulbs of a single variety take the 100 rate; 6 take the dozen rate.

### Colorful Tulips

Happy bloom, of almost impossible brilliance, presents a spring picture of breath-taking loveliness. Set 8 inches deep, October to December, in shade or sun but light shade is best. If planting in pots keep in a cool, dark place, and not too wet, until growth starts.

**Bartigon.** Outstanding Darwin of velvety texture. See illustration. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

**Golden Harvest.** No finer yellow than this large flowered Cottage variety. See illustration. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

**Philip Snowden.** An exquisite shade of clear rose-pink. Darwin. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

**Pride of Zwanenburg.** Much desired Darwin. See illustration. Each, 15c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$12.75.

**The Bishop.** Best violet Darwin. See illustration. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$2.00; per 100, \$15.00.

**Zwanenburg.** Unsurpassed by any white variety. Black anthers. Darwin. See illustration. Each, 15c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$12.75.

**Darwin Mixture.** A well blended mixture of excellent sorts. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

**Parrot Tulips. Mixed.** Unique bloom of large size with interesting ruffled edges. Good range of colors in pink, red, blue, yellow and lavender. Each, 20c; per dozen, \$2.00; per 100, \$16.00.

**Fantasy.** Salmon-pink feathered with green. Each, 20c; per dozen, \$2.00; per 100, \$16.00.

Top Row

GOLDEN HARVEST

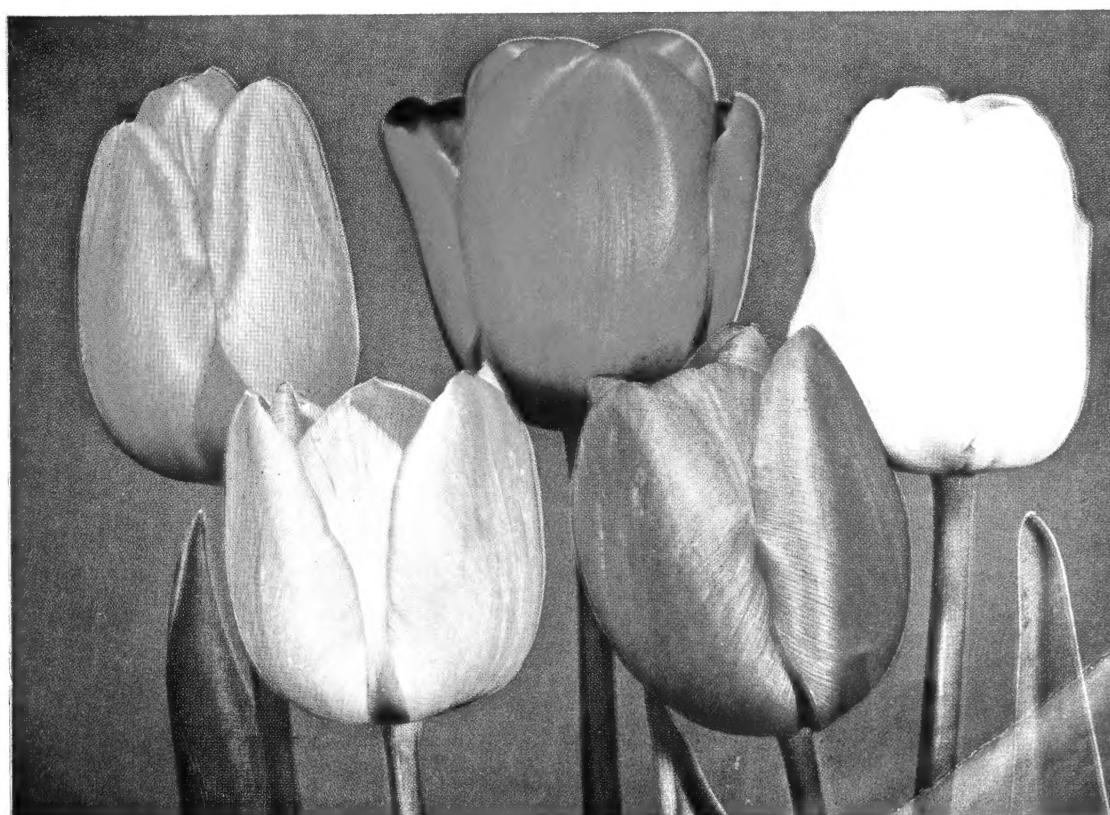
BARTIGON

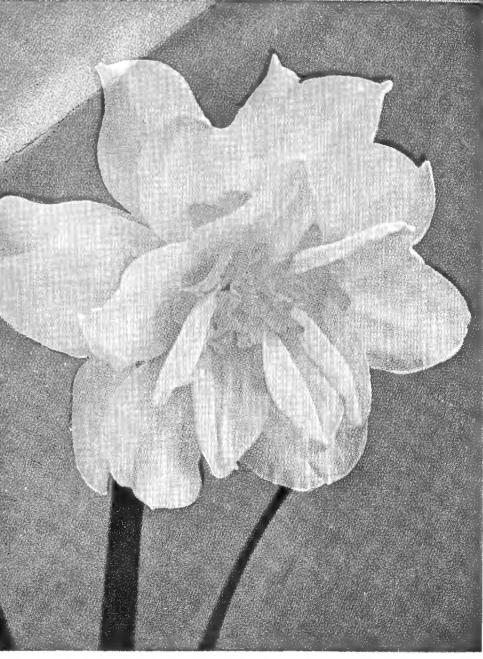
ZWANENBURG

Bottom Row

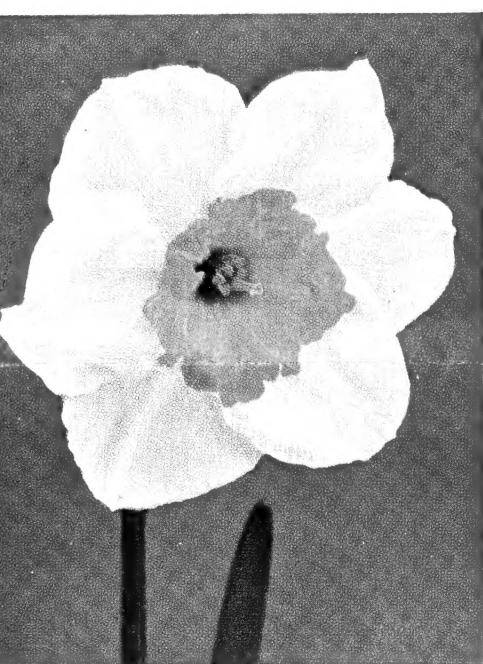
PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG

THE BISHOP





TWINK



JOHN EVELYN

## Short-Cupped and Double Daffodils

**Diana Kasner.** Long stems. Free flowering. Well recommended. See illustration. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$1.90; per 100, \$14.50.

**John Evelyn.** A flower of exquisite refinement to 3 inches or more in width. See illustration. Each, 30c; per dozen, \$3.25; per 100, \$24.00.

**Twink.** Most desired of the double sorts. A consistent bloomer that takes pride in its neat yet informal appearance. See illustration. Each, 28c; per dozen, \$3.00; per 100, \$24.00.

### SCILLA CAMPANULATA

Year after year these graceful plants produce thrilling spikes of blue Hyacinth-like bloom on arching stems. Grow to 1 foot. Plant 4 inches deep September 15 to November, for March bloom.

Per dozen, \$1.00; per 100, \$7.00



## Daffodils -- Jonquils -- Narcissus

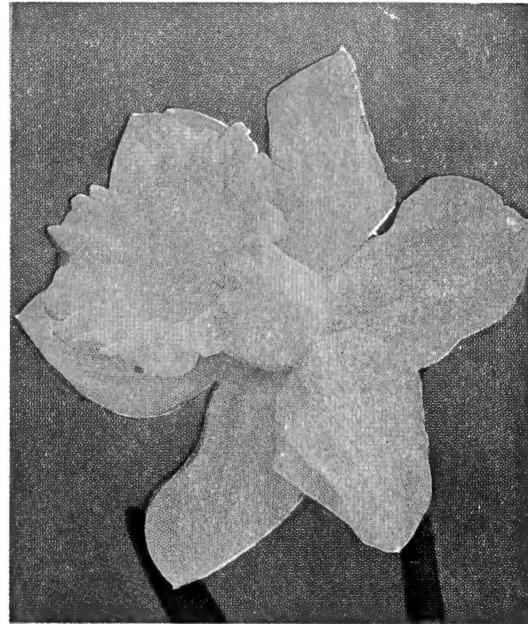
No Bulbs are more satisfactory in this area as their popularity testifies. The Bulbs increase rapidly, perfecting their shapely bloom with exemplary regularity. Unexcelled for cutting. Most effective when planted in small groups. Enjoy a well-drained location in either sun or shade. Plant 10 inches deep September 15 through November. Easily grown in pots.

### LARGE TRUMPET DAFFODILS

**Fortune.** Wide frilled apricot orange cup and creamy yellow petals of substantial texture. Each, 40c; per dozen, \$4.00; per 100, \$30.00.

**King Alfred.** Enormous bloom. Most popular of the Daffodils. See illustration. Each, 25c; per dozen, \$2.75; per 100, \$21.50.

**Mrs. E. H. Krelage.** Much desired for its waxy texture and attractive form. Cream trumpet changing to clear white. Large frosty white petals. Each, 35c; per dozen, \$3.75; per 100, \$28.50.

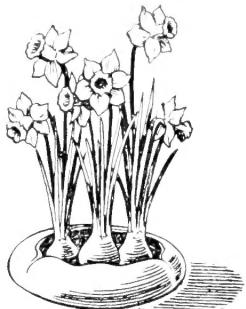


KING ALFRED

### JONQUILS

**Campenelli. Single.** Trumpet shaped bloom of brilliant yellow to 2 inches in diameter. Each 18c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$13.00.

**Campenelli. Double.** Huge brilliant yellow on long stems. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$1.75; per 100, \$14.00.



### CLUSTER FLOWERED NARCISSUS

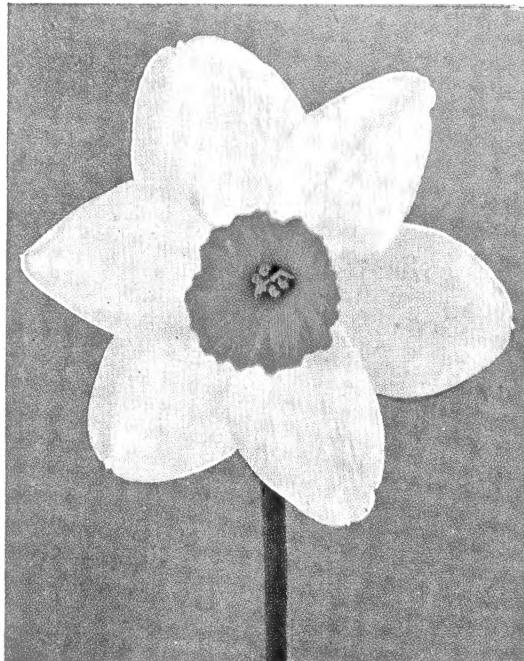
These are the delightfully perfumed sorts so easily grown either indoors or outside in the garden. If planted in bowls, with water, sand and pebbles for use in the house, keep in a dark location until well rooted and 2 inches of top growth appears.

**Chinese Sacred Lily.** White petals, bright yellow cup. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.

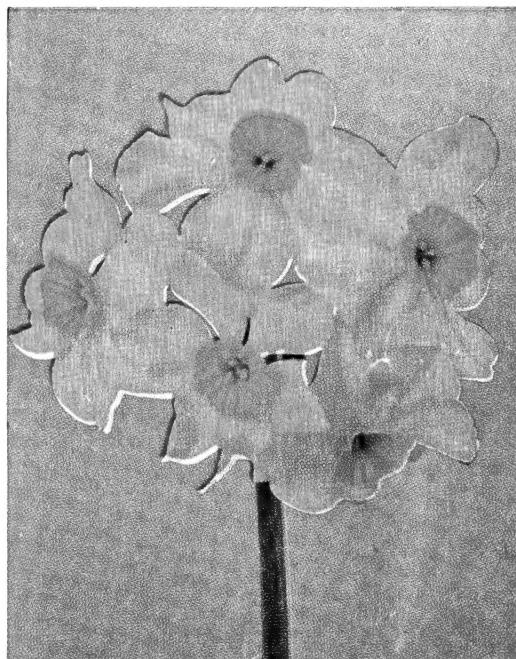
**Klondyke.** Heavenly fragrance. See illustration. Each, 18c; per dozen, \$1.90; per 100, \$14.50.

**Paper White.** Crisp glowing white throughout. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.35; per 100, \$10.50.

**Soleil d'Or.** Brilliant golden yellow, with deep orange cup. Flowers in dense clusters. Easily grown. Each, 13c; per dozen, \$1.50; per 100, \$11.50.



DIANA KASNER



SOLEIL d'OR

# FAITHFUL DUTCH IRIS

Bear, year after year, huge bouquets that persist for many weeks. As a source of cut flowers they are unsurpassed. Extremely easy of culture. See illustration. Set September 15 through November, 5 inches deep, for March and April bloom.

**Wedgwood.** Most satisfactory tall growing blue. See illustration. Per dozen, 90c; per 100, \$6.50.

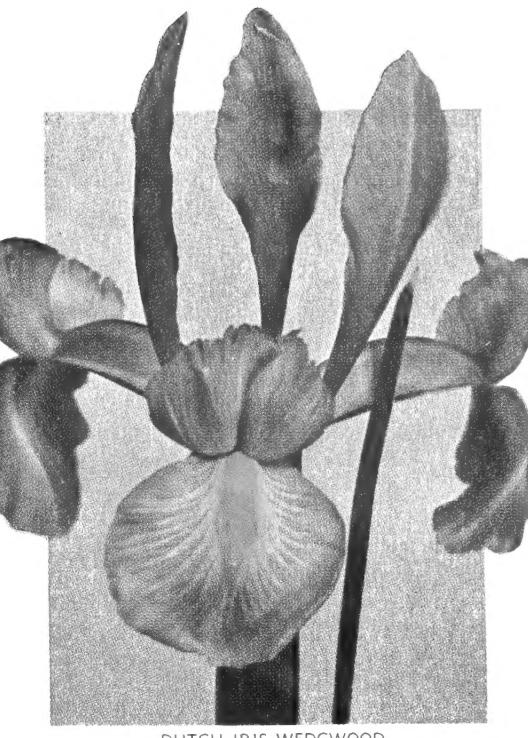
**Yellow Queen.** Popular golden yellow. Per dozen, 85c; per 100, \$6.25.

**Mixed.** A well blended mixture of blues, yellows and whites. Per dozen, 75c; per 100, \$5.00.

## BRILLIANT SPARAXIS

**Tecolote Hybrids. Mixed.** A riot of entrancing colors: orange, lavender, pink, scarlet, salmon, crimson and cream. The saucer-shaped flowers, often to 3 inches across, are in part self colors, others are zoned in center with lilac, edged black. Grow to 8 inches. Plant 3 inches deep, September 15 to December.

Per dozen, 75c; per 100, \$5.50



DUTCH IRIS WEDGWOOD

## CHEERFUL RANUNCULUS

**Tecolote Giants.** Due to the unusual range of colors, large size and charming form of the Camellia-like flowers, this strain is particularly outstanding. Double and semi-double. Unexcelled for cutting. Plant 4 inches deep in a well drained location, with prongs downward, September 15 to December. See illustration.

**Separate Colors. Gold, Orange, Pink, Red and White.** Per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$9.00.

**Mixed Colors: Giant Jumbo Bulbs,** per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$9.00. **Large Size Bulbs,** per dozen 75c; per 100, \$6.00.

## WATSONIAS FOR HEAVY BLOOM

While Watsonias grow taller than Gladiolus and produce their smaller flowers more closely on the stems, they resemble the latter as to foliage and shape of bloom. Valuable for both garden display and bouquets. Plant September 15 through October, 5 inches deep, for April and May bloom. New Giant Australian and American varieties in **Mixed Colors** which include orchid, pink, white, red, orange and lavender.

Each, 12c; per dozen, \$1.25; per 100, \$8.00

## FRAGRANT FREESIAS

**Tecolote Hybrids. Mixed.** Much more desirable than the ordinary sorts. The flowers are not only of extra size but are delightfully perfumed and of wide open form. A mixture of blues, pinks, reds, yellows and white. Long stems for cutting. Plant 4 inches deep, September 15 to November for February and March bloom.

Per dozen, 75c; per 100, \$5.50

## LASTING ANEMONES

Provide a brilliant and lasting display of Poppy-like bloom from February to April. The flowers, on stiff stems, will supply many bouquets of winter and spring loveliness. Plant with point down, from September 15 to November, and cover with one inch of soil.

Per dozen, \$1.10; per 100, \$8.00, except as noted

**Monarch de Caen.** A wonderful strain with enormous bloom of pinks, scarlet and blues in pleasing and vivid shades. See illustration.

**Mixed Colors.** Per dozen, \$1.00; per 100, \$7.50.

**Blue Poppy.** Rich single deep blue.

**His Excellency.** Vivid scarlet with black center and silver white base.

**Rosea.** Glistening single rose.

**St. Brigid.** Bright as well as delicate shades in a delightful mixture of rose, pink, lavender and blue.



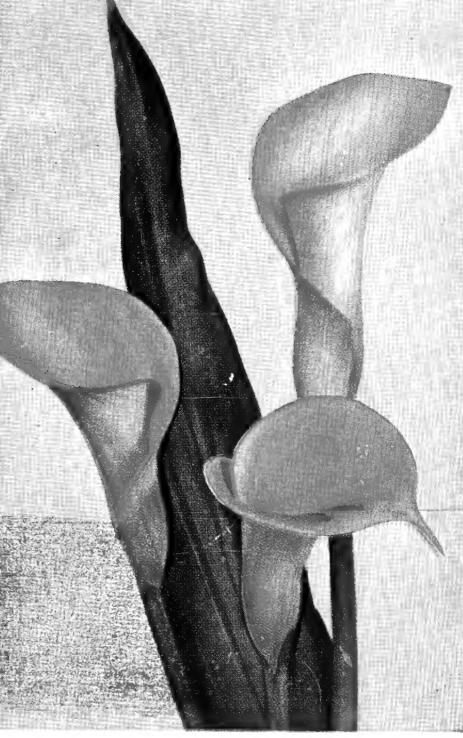
ANEMONE, MONARCH DE CAEN

## GLORIOUS DAHLIAS

During July and again in fall, after the first season, the extravagant Dahlias supply a wealth of flowers in many types. Plant 6 inches deep during March or April. We carry an excellent **Assortment of the Better Varieties** in a good range of colors. **Prices on request.**

## TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

The flowers rival and resemble the Camellias with their perfect form, waxy petals and clean appearance. Exquisite shades of pink and red as well as white. If planted in a shaded spot during February and March, they should supply months of big glowing bloom. Successful in pots, also. Set flush with top of soil keeping concave surface upward. We handle excellent varieties in **Separate Colors.** **Prices on request.**



PINK CALLA

## CALLAS

Plant September 15 to November, Except as Noted.

**Pink Calla.** *Zantedeschia rehmanni*. See illustration. Plant in sun 1 inch deep. April or May bloom. Each, 50c; per dozen, \$5.50.

**White Calla.** *Zantedeschia aethiopica*. Enormous bloom on lofty stems from February into May. Tropical appearing evergreen foliage. Plant 2 inches deep in partial shade. Each, 40c; per dozen, \$4.00.

**Yellow Calla.** *Zantedeschia elliotiana*. For satiny golden yellow bloom in May, plant in November 2 inches deep. Dark green foliage spotted white. Requires some sun. Each, 40c; per dozen, \$4.00.

## ARISTOCRATIC LILIES, *Lilium*

True Lilies are easily grown, require little care and supply the most spectacular of bloom. As they like to have their tops warm and roots cool they should be partially shaded by other plants.

**L. Regale.** Regal Lily. Big frosty white trumpet with flaring petals. Golden throat. Tinted pink on outside. For June bloom plant 8 inches deep from October 15 to January. Each, 40c; per dozen, \$4.25.

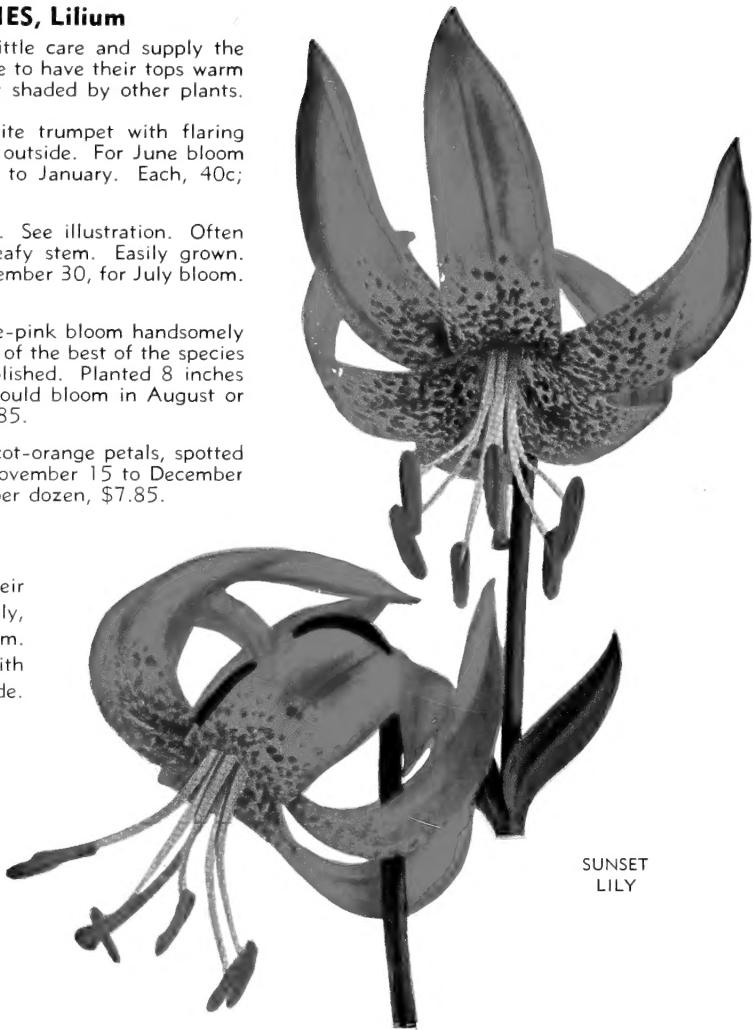
**L. pardalinum giganteum.** Sunset Lily. See illustration. Often carries 12 or more blooms on each leafy stem. Easily grown. Plant 6 inches deep, October 15 to November 30, for July bloom. Each, 45c; per dozen, \$4.80.

**L. speciosum rubrum.** Huge exotic rose-pink bloom handsomely spotted with red. Reflected petals. One of the best of the species type. Requires a year to become established. Planted 8 inches deep, November 15 to January 15, should bloom in August or September. Each, 75c; per dozen, \$7.85.

**L. tigrinum.** Tiger Lily. Reflected apricot-orange petals, spotted maroon. Plant to depth of 8 inches, November 15 to December 30, for bloom in August. Each, 75c; per dozen, \$7.85.

## LILY OF THE VALLEY

While these charming plants with their fragrant white bells do not thrive locally, we have the pips if you wish to try them. Plant January 15 to March 1, flush with the top of the ground, in the shade. Prices on request.



SUNSET  
LILY